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*and*  
Major General T. J. Sands  
Deputy Commandant  
Armed Forces Staff College  
Norfolk 11, Virginia

Dear General Sands:

Thank you for your letter of 16 February to Mr. Dulles inviting the participation of CIA in presentations to the Twenty-fifth Class of the Armed Forces Staff College on the subject of "Unconventional Warfare".

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We are happy to make available [redacted]

who will substitute

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Mr. [redacted] of our Office of Training has been designated project officer and will be expecting a communication from Lieutenant Colonel McMahon, USA, to discuss the scope of instruction, the details of the visit, and other relevant matters.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

C. P. Cabell  
General, USAF  
Deputy Director

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Director of Training

Date

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(signed) H. Gates Lloyd

27 FEB 1959

/s/ Deputy Director (Support)

Date

Deputy Director (Plans)

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Major General T. J. Sands  
Deputy Commandant  
Armed Forces Staff College  
Norfolk 11, Virginia

Dear General Sands:

Mr. Dulles has asked me to reply to your letter of 16 February 1959 in which you invite the participation of CIA employees in a program of the Armed Forces Staff College on 21 May 1959.

Unfortunately, [redacted] USA, Ret., will not be available on that date. With your agreement, [redacted] USA, will substitute for him as lecturer. We will be pleased to honor your request for [redacted] USAFR, Ret.

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STAT I suggest that Lieutenant Colonel Edward McMahon, USA, communicate with Mr. [redacted] of our Office of Training to discuss the scope of the instruction, details of the visit, and other relevant matters.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

C. P. Cabell  
General, USAF  
Deputy Director

MEMORANDUM FOR: **THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR**

The attached proposed letter to  
Major General T. J. Sands, Deputy Commandant,  
Armed Forces Staff College, advises that

[REDACTED], have been selected  
to participate in a program of the Armed  
Forces Staff College on 21 May 1959.

Recommend signature.

**H. GATES LLOYD**  
Acting Deputy Director  
(Support)

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cc: / DCI

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ARMED FORCES STAFF COLLEGE  
Office of the Deputy Commandant  
Norfolk 11, Virginia

16 February 1959

Dear Mr. Dulles:

In view of the temporary absence of the Commandant, Vice Admiral Wellborn, it is my pleasure to invite members of your Agency to make a presentation to the Twenty-fifth Class of the Armed Forces Staff College at 1000 (EST), on Thursday, 21 May 1959, on the subject, "Unconventional Warfare".

It would be appreciated if a representative from your Agency would talk for approximately 30 minutes on the role of unconventional warfare in furthering military and political objectives; the concept of the inter-related fields of guerrilla warfare, subversion, and other forms of unconventional warfare against hostile states; the organization to conduct operations in these fields; and the responsibility of the Department of Defense, the three Services, and their departments or agencies for unconventional warfare planning. Additionally, I would like a speaker from your Agency to give a short presentation of approximately 15 minutes covering escape and evasion and air support related to these activities. In conjunction with these talks, I am asking the Department of the Army's Office of Special Warfare to participate again for approximately 20 minutes.

This presentation on "Unconventional Warfare" will have been preceded immediately by a 40-minute portrayal of "Psychological Warfare", also to be given by a member of the Department of the Army's Office of Special Warfare. Approximately 30 minutes will be devoted to a combined question period on both subjects following the last presentation.

I would appreciate very much your making available  of your Agency, if possible, since they contributed most effectively to previous presentations and discussion periods.

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If you approve acceptance of this invitation, Lt. Col. Edward McMaken, USA, of the faculty will communicate further concerning the details with whomever you designate as project officer.

Sincerely,

/s/

T. J. Sands  
Maj. Gen., USA  
Deputy Commandant, Army

Mr. Allen W. Dulles  
Director, Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington 25, D. C.

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